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For : NONWOVEN WITH NON-SYMMETRICAL
BONDING CONFIGURATION

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SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-identified application, please amend the title and claims thereof as follows:

IN THE TITLE:

Amend the title throughout the application, excepting only the original Declaration, to - - METHOD OF MAKING NONWOVEN WITH NON-SYMMETRICAL BONDING CONFIGURATION - -.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Rewrite Claims 1, 16, 20, 21, and 24 as follows:

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1. (Amended) A method of making a nonwoven fabric having high elongation in a first direction and low elongation relative thereto in a second direction normal to the first direction, comprising the steps of:

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